H. R. 4529

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

May 26, 1994

Mr. Rohrabacher introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia

A BILL

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- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
- 3 SECTION 1. REPEAL OF MAYOR'S AUTHORITY TO REQUISI-
- 4 TION ADVANCES FROM THE UNITED STATES
- 5 TREASURY.
- 6 (a) IN GENERAL.—Effective on the date of the enact-
- 7 ment of this Act, title VI of the District of Columbia Reve-

- 1 nue Act of 1939 (sec. 47-3401, D.C. Code) is hereby re-
- 2 pealed.
- 3 (b) Conforming Amendment.—The second sen-
- 4 tence of section 603(b)(1) of the District of Columbia Self-
- 5 Government and Governmental Reorganization Act (sec.
- 6 47-313(b)(1), D.C. Code) is amended by striking ", ex-
- 7 cept those funds" and all that follows and inserting a pe-
- 8 riod.
- 9 SEC. 2. REDUCTION IN FEDERAL PAYMENT TO DISTRICT BY
- 10 AMOUNTS BORROWED FROM TREASURY
- 11 PRIOR TO REPEAL.
- Section 503 of the District of Columbia Self-Govern-
- 13 ment and Governmental Reorganization Act (sec. 47–
- 14 3406.1, D.C. Code) is amended by adding at the end the
- 15 following new subsection:
- 16 "(c) The amount authorized to be appropriated as the
- 17 annual Federal payment to the District of Columbia under
- 18 this section for a fiscal year shall be reduced by the
- 19 amount of any funds advanced to the District by the Sec-
- 20 retary of the Treasury on or after May 26, 1994, under
- 21 title VI of the District of Columbia Revenue Act of 1939
- 22 that have not been reimbursed by the District to the
- 23 Treasury of the United States as of the last day of the
- 24 previous fiscal year.".